



COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION
"Creating Community Through People, Parks and Programs"

Russ Guiney, Director

September 13, 2006

TO: Honorable Gloria Molina
Supervisor, First District

ATTN: Norma Garcia
Park Deputy

FROM: Russ Guiney
Director

SUBJECT: **PROPOSED PROPOSITION 12 PER CAPITA SPENDING PLAN
FOR URBAN REFORESTATION PROJECTS**

On September 4, 2001, your Board approved a resolution allowing the County of Los Angeles (County) to enter into a Proposition 12 Per Capita Grant Contract with the State Department of Parks and Recreation to make available \$36,451,000 to the County in Per Capita Grant Program funding. Not less than 10 percent or \$3,645,100 of these funds must be spent on Urban Reforestation projects. Eligible projects include removal of invasive trees, ground preparation, installation of new irrigation systems, and planting of trees or plant material at the existing parks. These funds must be expended by December 31, 2007.

Based on the total Prop 12 funding allocation for the First District, the 10 percent restricted to Prop 12 urban reforestation projects is \$832,378 (see Attachment I). This memorandum is to confirm your decision to use the entire \$832,378 for Whittier Narrows Recreation Area Landscape Beautification Project.

If you have any questions or need additional information please contact Sabra White, Acting Administrative Deputy at (213) 738-3015.

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Attachment

c: Norma Garcia, Park Deputy, First District
Sabra White, Parks and Recreation
Frank Gonzales, Parks and Recreation
Faith San Diego, Parks and Recreation
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PROPOSITION 12 PER CAPITA FUNDS**First District Urban Reforestation Projects**

Funding Allocation for First District Urban Reforestation Projects	\$ 832,378
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Whittier Narrows Recreation Area 832,378

TOTAL	\$ 832,378
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